



Varietal Composition

50% Roussanne, 30% Grenache Blanc, 20% Bourboulenc

AVA	Sub-AVA	Vineyard
Lodi	Mokelumne River	Acquiesce

Farming: LODI RULES Sustainable Winegrowing

- Alc 13%
- RS 0.4 g/L
- TA 5.9 g/L
- pH 3.53
- Harvest 8/18/21, 8/23/21, 9/8/21
- Bottled 3/15/22
- Cases 367

2021 Belle Blanc

Double Gold 2022 International Women's Wine Competition, 95 pts

Gold 2023 Sunset International Wine Competition, 92 pts

Profile

This new take on our classic Rhone blend offers lovely aromas of pear, stone fruit, violet, and passion fruit. Herbes de Provence and a stony minerality fill the rounded palate. The addition of Bourboulenc lengthens the finish and emphasizes body and texture. This is a true Chateauneuf-du-Pape white that will continue to harmonize over time.

Vineyard

This is all estate fruit located in the Mokelumne River - Lodi AVA. Our grape clones are Tablas Creek cuttings from the famed Chateau de Beaucastel Winery in Chateauneuf-du-Pape. Our climate is similar to the Southern Rhone with cool nighttime Delta breezes whipping through the nearby Mokelumne River. This allows our fruit to retain an excellent balance of acidity and fruit characteristics.

Winemaking

All of our grapes are hand-harvested and whole cluster pressed to capture their fresh, flavorful character. We harvest early in the morning to retain acidity, providing vibrancy in the wine. The juice is fermented cool in temperature controlled stainless steel tanks to highlight the pure fruit expressions. The wine is then sur lie aged in tank with periodic stirring until bottling.

Pairing

This wine pairs well with citrus salads, pork, chicken, buttery dishes.

Retail USD

\$40 / bottle (750 mL)